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# **EVERY PURPOSE**

Season 1927



Ghe American Rose and Plant Co. Springfield, Ohio.

"Producers of Plants that grow and bloom"

# Special Information

PRICES named in this catalog cover packing and delivery charges to your door or nearest express office and are the lowest possible to be consistent with good quality. Sturdy single rhizomes will be furnished and most of them will bloom the first season planted.

SHIPMENTS Where no instructions accompany order as to method of shipping, they will be sent by express or parcel post (insured) as seems most advisable.

ORDERS

You will want your Iris just as early as they are in proper condition to ship and as stock of the rarest varieties is very limited, it is to your advantage to forward your order early. The best time for transplanting Irises is after they are through flowering in July or August. Every variety is separately marked with a copper wired label and our careful method of packing insures plants reaching destination in good condition.

GUARANTEE

Every variety is guaranteed absolutely true to name, and we exercise the greatest care in getting them out. All shipments are freshly dug and guaranteed to arrive in a satisfactory condition. Substitutions are made only by permission or request.

TERMS

Cash must accompany orders, remittances to be made by postoffice money orders, drafts or express money orders; currency can usually be sent with safety, although there is some risk in so doing. C. O. D. shipments cannot be made unless accompanied by at least one-half the amount in cash.



### OUR 1927 IRIS MESSAGE

O GARDEN is complete without Iris but a very delightful and noteworthy one can be made with nothing but Iris. Such gardens developed on natural lines in apparently irregular masses will produce the most charming effects. However, Irises enter into color harmonies with many other flowering plants and may be used to great advantage with such shrubs as Lilacs, (especially the French varieties), Viburnums (Snowballs) and hardy perennials, such as Peonies, Oriental Poppies and Delphiniums.

Iris is a magnificent and satisfactory hardy perennial, increasing rapidly and thriving in dry sun-baked positions where most other plants would droop and wither from lack of moisture and nourishment.

The most popular type is undoubtedly the Bearded Irises, sometimes called "Flags," but many people do not realize the remarkable development and improvement in the wonderful new varieties which are truly aristocrats. Their refined and delicate beauty is as mysterious and fascinating as the Orchid. Their exquisite and ethereal beauty has a soft irridescence that is breathlessly charming.

For garden effects Irises are unequalled and cut for indoor use, their possibilities are unlimited, as the great range of colors and tints will permit the most daring and attractive combinations. Their possibilities in landscape effects are far-reaching so each season their popularity increases. By careful selection of varieties, you may have blooms from the first warm days of early spring until

mid-summer.

We offer a very complete and interesting collection of the finest varieties, including most of the choice new productions. As a guide to the comparative merits of the different varieties we give the rating determined by the American Iris Society. Where no rating is given the variety has not been thoroughly tested and voted on. Wherever it is known, we give the name of the originator and date of introduction.

#### THE AMERICAN IRIS SOCIETY

We strongly urge all Iris lovers to join the American Iris Society. The annual fee is only \$3.00 and the yearly bulletins are worth many times the value of this fee. Dues may be sent to J. B. Wallace, Jr., 129 Church St., New Haven, Conn.

#### Explanation of the Abbreviations Used:

S. Means Standards F. Means Falls

The First name in parenthesis after the variety name is that of the originator, the second that of the introducer.

Fos. Foster—G. & K., Goos & Koenemann—Mor., prrison — Sturt., Sturtevant — Verd., Verdier—Vilm., Morrison — Sturt., Sturter Vilmorin—Wal., Wallace.

#### Special Note on Japanese Iris

Our stock of Japanese Irises would not permit us to name a general list in our book this season, but if you are looking for some special fine named varieties, send us the list you are particularly interested in and we will be glad to quote special prices on those we can furnish. We have a fine assortment of this very attractive and desirable type and hope to have sufficient stock next season to name and describe them in our catalog.



### A LIST OF REAL IRIS ARISTOCRATS

Classified as to color, for the convenience of our customers, wanting to carry out some definite color scheme.

#### White

Kashmir White La Neige Michelline Chairraire Taj Mahal White Knight

White Ground, edged, feathered or marked another color.

Anna Farr Camelot Geraldine Parisiana

#### Blended Varieties

Afterglow Ambassadeur Asia Laverrier Magnifica Ochracea-Coerulea

#### Pink Shades

Aphrodite Dream Susan Bliss

#### Red and Claret shades

Caprice
Edouard Michel
Jacquesiana
Medrano
Morning Splendor
Seminole

# Standards White-Falls Darker

Dalila Mildred Presby Mrs. W. E. Fryer Rhein Nixe

#### Silvery Lavender

Delicatissima Leonato Mlle. Schwartz Princess Beatrice Queen Caterina

#### Blue Selfs

Ann Page
E. H. Jenkins
Gold Crest
Hippolyta
Juniata
Lady Foster
Violacea Grandiflora
Yvonne Pelletier

#### Bi-Colors

Ballerine
B. Y. Morrison
Canopus
Hermione
Monsignor
Prospero
Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau
Tartarin

#### Yellow

Golden Promise Shekinah Sherwin Wright

#### IRIS FOR MASS PLANTING

Irises are unequalled for massing in landscape work and should be planted in quantities for quick effect.

We offer the very best ones for this purpose at the following special prices.

25c each—10c each in lots of 25—8c each in lots of 100, you to pay delivery charges.

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Caprice
Celeste
Chester Hunt
Darius
Her Majesty
Jeanne d'Arc
Kharput
Kochii
Lohengrin
Loreley

Major
Margaret Moor
Margaret Moor
Mme. Chereau
Monsignor
Mrs. Horace Darwin
Nibelungen
Nuee d'Orage
Quaker Lady
Queen of May
Rhein Nixe



### NEW VARIETIES FOR IRIS **FANCIERS**

These will prove outstanding and unusual in your Collection. Produced by Dr. J. W. Magruder of Mechanicsburg, Ohio; a very able and discerning hybridizer.

#### ANN HORR

S—Chartreuse yellow, citron yellow at base. F—Deep blackish red-purple, very narrow white border with wire edge of blackish red-purple.

Haft—Yellow, reticulated deep olive. S. B.—Apricot yellow.

Beard—Orange, conspicuous. Good size, form and substance. 31 inches tall.

Each \$15.00

#### BELVIDERO

S—Tourmaline pink, bronze at base.
F—Dusky auricula purple, widely bordered liseran purple, at base reticulated white; velvety, incurved.

Haft white reticulated brown.

S. B.—yellow. Beard—yellow

-yellow.

Wonderful size, form and substance.

Well and widely branched.

38 inches tall.

Each \$10.00

#### BOHEMOND

—Soft blush violet, conic arched. —Dark violet, velvety, flaring.

S. B .- Violet edged white.

Beard white tipped yellow. Cons Large and of extra fine substance. Conspicuous.

Well and widely branched.

Crusader type. 35 inches tall.

Each \$ 8.00

#### DON IUAN

S-Amaranth pink, at base citron yellow reticulated brown.

F—Haemathoxaline violet fading to petunia violet at edges; at base, white veined brown; velvety, re-flexed.

Haft—citron yellow tinted olive brown. S. B.—picric yellow, pallid violet center. Beard yellow, short, dense. Good size and substance, cup shaped.

32 inches tall.

Each \$ 5.00

#### INGOMAR

S-Ramier blue, bronze at edges.

-White heavily veined dusky dull violet (striped effect) incurved.

Haft-reticulated olive. S. B.-citron yellow, la -citron yellow, lavender center.

Beard orange, projecting. Good size and substance, striking and distinct.

29 inches tall. Each \$ 5.00



#### LORENE

—Sulphur yellow; at margin of base, lemon yellow. —Sulphur yellow, heavily veined dahlia purple, except at edges; velvety incurved.

Haft—white tinted bronze, reticulated olive. Beard, orange brown specked, projecting.

Very large, good substance and form. 27 inches tall.

Somewhat similar to Loreley, but a great improvement. Much larger and better standards and decidedly better form.

#### PETE DEATRICK

—Straw yellow, at base specked brown. —Straw yellow, heavily veined pansy violet, velvety, drooping.

Haft—bronze reticulated olive. S. B.—Lemon yellow.

Beard orange specked brown, dense, projecting.

Large, good substance.
37 inches tall.

Each \$ 5.00

#### PHILETUS

—Deep citron yellow, at base strontian yellow.

F-Deep citron yellow, finely veined olive green and violet, at base white.

Haft—Strontian yellow, reticulated olive green.
S. B.—Strontian yellow.
Beard, yellow, projecting.
Good size and extra substance.

Especially good in mass. 32 inches tall.

Each 15.00

#### PLANTING AND CULTURE

A dry sunny location will produce the best Bearded Iris, but they will thrive in any good garden soil that

is well drained.

Plant very shallow, so the top of the rhizome is just below the surface of the ground. It is wise to cover them with a light mulch the first winter to prevent them heaving entirely out of the ground on account of the frequent freezes and thaws. Water once when planting to firm the soil around the rhizome. A light application of lime added each year will prove very beneficial and when the soil needs fertilizer, a dressing of bone meal is suffi-Avoid manure and over-watering. Keep the plantings free from weeds by frequent but shallow cultivation.

The best time for planting Irises is after they are through flowering in July and August; this enables the plants to become well established before winter comes and insures blooming the first year. To get best results, the roots should be dug and divided every three or four

years.

Most beardless Irises (classified under Miscellaneous Species and Varieties) object to lime, preferring a more acid and rich soil. They also thrive in damp locations, if the rhizomes are above the level of the standing water. The Sibericas and Orientalis should never be limed. The Spuria group, Ochroleuca, Monspur and Shelford Giant do well in cultivated soil, liking both fertilization and lime. Tectorum must have a dry location in the full sun. Pseudoacorus will do well in any location but thrives especially in wet places. especially in wet places.

All Beardless varieties are best planted in the fall or very early spring. They are packed damp and should not be allowed to dry out before planting.



### TALL BEARDED IRIS Late May and June Flowering

Their beauty outrivals that of the Orchids in their delicacy of structure and wide range of colors. No garden is complete without them and a very delightful garden can be made with nothing but them, as they are especially adapted for flower borders, shrubberies, woodland walks and for surrounding lakes and ponds, if planted well above the water level.

They are well named Fleur-de-Lis, for they are as colorful as the rainbow, seeming to reflect the sky and

the sunshine.

- 8.3 AFTERGLOW (Sturt. 1917)-Misty lavender lit with yellow at the center. 3 to 4 ft.
- ALCAZAR (Vilmorin 1910)—S. light bluish violet. F. deep purple, bronze veined at the throat. 8.9 4 ft. Each 25c
- AMBASSADEUR (Vilmorin 1920)—S. Dull purplish bronze. F. Deep velvety maroon. Beards 9.4 and styles yellow. Each 75c 4 ft.
- AMBIGU (Vilmorin 1916)-Well formed flowers 8.3 of a distinct reddish purple. 30 in. Each 50c
- ANNA FARR (Farr 1913)—S. white, lightly bordered pale blue. F. pure white with pale blue markings. Very large and beautiful. 36 in. 8.4 Each 75c
- ANNE LESLIE (Sturt. 1917)—S. Rose tinted. dahlia carmine, orange beard. 30 in. Each 7.7 Each 35c
- ANN PAGE (Hort 1919)-Uniform light violet. F. 8.6 heavily pencilled with brown. Has great beauty in form, carriage and texture. Each \$2.50
  - ANTONIO (Hort 1921)—A red-purple bicolor. Large flowering, well shaped and erect. Each \$2.25
  - APHRODITE (Dykes 1922)-A pure bright violetpink self color, falls and standards being identical in tone. Blooms of wonderful lasting substance are perfect in form, freely produced on tall stems and very sweetly scented. The standards are strong and beautifully arched, the falls are smooth and glossy with no veining or reticulation to detract from its loveliness or purity of tone and brightness of color. 4 ft. Each \$12.50
- ARCHEVEQUE (Vilmorin 1911)—S. rich violet purple. F. deep velvety violet. 2 ft. Each 25c
  - ARGYNNIS (Longfield 1925)—S. deep yellow. F. solid dark violet carmine, without reticulation. Beard yellow. Large flowers carried gracefully on tall, slender stalks. A very distinct variety of very attractive coloring. 40 in. Each \$1.00
  - ARIADNE (Dykes 1921)—S. very broad with waved edges, pure silvery light blue in color. F. deeper blue, suffused with reddish violet which is intensified at the base. Flowers are large and strikingly beautiful. 3½ ft.

Each \$3.50



- ARLEQUIN (Denis)—Dark brown with yellow illuminations and streaks. Very fetching and unusual.

  Each 50c
- 7.5 ARMENIAN (Millet)—S. smoky chamois. F. purple. Each 50c
- 9.2 ASIA (Yeld 1916)—S. broad and massive pale silvery lavender, suffused yellow and gold at the base. F. pale reddish purple, lighter at the margin. Beard, bright golden yellow. Unusual massive flowers on strong vigorous stems. 4½ ft.

  Each \$2.50
- 7.4 AUREA (Jacques 1838)—A pure and rich chrome yellow. 24 in. Each 25c
- 8.7 AVALON (Sturt. 1918)—A lustrous lavender-pink or light mauve. Wonderful form, substance and size. Very strong, but slow growing. Over 3 ft.

  Each \$5.00
- 8.0 AZURE (Bliss 1918)—S. lavender blue. F. rich violet blue. A pure deep and intense color.

  Each 50c
  - BALARUC (Denis)—S. and F. white with better shaped falls than White Knight. Flowers of medium size, pale golden beard. Early bloomer continuing over a long season. Medium height.

    Each \$1.00
- 9.4 BALLERINE (Vilmorin 1920)—S. light violet-blue, broad and waved at the margin. F. large, a deeper shade than the standards. Very sweet scented. 3 to 4 ft. Each 75c
- 8.0 BARONET (Sturt. 1920)—S. blue toned. F. deep violet. Strong and erect. Flowers of fine texture. 40 in. Each 50c
- 6.8 BELCOLOR (Denis)—S. deep straw yellow. F. creamy white reticulated plum velvet; very free bloomer. 30 in. Each 50c
- 7.9 BENBOW (Bliss 1917)—S. and F. deep violet blue.

  Large blooms on tall, erect, well developed stems. 3 ft.

  Each 50c
- 7.7 BLACK KNIGHT (Syn. Black Prince) (Perry 1900)—S. intense deep violet-blue. F. velvety purple. Late bloomer. Very rare and beautiful. Each \$1.00
- 7.1 BLUE JAY (Farr 1913)—S. bright, clear blue. F. intense dark blue. 30 in. Each 25c
- 8.1 BLUE LAGOON (Bliss 1919)—S. pale blue. F. dark blue, shading lighter at the base and edge; a dark blotch appears below the beard. 3 ft.

  Each \$1.00
- B. Y. MORRISON (Sturt. 1917)—S. pale lavenderviolet. F. velvety raisin-purple with broad lavender border. Very distinct. 33 in. Each 50c
- 7.9 CAMELOT (Bliss 1918)—Creamy white, edged pale violet. Very free bloomer. 4 ft. Each 50c
  - CANOPUS (Bliss 1921)—S. light purple; arched. F. velvety prune purple. A magnificent Dominion Seedling; its velvety purples and majestic height indicate its splendid parentage. Very free flowering and sturdy. 3 ft. Each \$3.00



- 7.5 CAPRICE (Vilm. 1904)—S. reddish purple. F. deeper, self colored; one of the best "red" Irises. 2 ft. Each 25c
  - CARDINAL (Bliss 1922)—S. a distinctive shade of lavender overlaid with rose. F. rich velvety prune purple of wonderful glossy texture. Distinctly a Dominion Seedling having its marvelous form and texture with an individual richness of coloring. You must see it in the sun to get the full cardinal tint.

    Each \$20.00
- 8.1 CARTHUSIAN (Marshall 1906)—S. clear lavender blue. F. darker blue. 2 to 3 ft. Each 50c
  - CECILE MINTURN (Farr 1922)—Uniform shade of cattleya rose. Free bloomer. 24 in. Each 50c
- 7.1 CELESTE (Lemon 1855)—S. pale blue violet. F. bluish violet, lighter along beard. A delicate azure blue self. 30 in. Each 25c
  - CHASSEUR (Vilm.)—S. medium yellow with brownish veins at base. F. lighter. Very unique coloring. 3 ft. Each \$2.50
  - CITRONELLA (Bliss 1922)—S. bright clear yellow deepening at the base. F. rich ruddy brown, paling at the edges. Style arms clear pure yellow; bright orange beard extending more than one-third the length of the falls. The tallest yellow flowered lris yet produced, with bold and arching standards of exquisite form and luminous quality. 33 in. Each \$7.50
- 7.1 CLEMATIS (Bliss 1917)—Clear violet with variable veining. Strong grower and free flowering. Unique. 30 in. Each 50c
- 8.6 CLUNY (Vilm. 1920)—S. soft lilac blue. F. darker. Early. 39 in. Each 35c
- 8.0 COLONEL CANDELOT (Millet 1917)—S. smoky copper. F. Crimson. Very free flowering and large. Uniquely colored. 3 ft. Each 35c
- 8.3 CORRIDA (Millet 1914)—A very pleasing solid light blue on tall stems, medium size flowers borne over a long season. A splendid Pallida, unexcelled for landscape work. 40 in.

  Each 50c
- 8.4 CRETONNE (Bliss 1919)—S. pale bronze purple.
  F. rich, reddish maroon with orange beard.
  Striking and distinct. 3 ft.
  Each 50c
- 8.7 CRUSADER (Foster 1913)—S. light blue. F. deep violet blue with orange yellow beard. Splendid color and form. 42 in.
- DALILA (Denis 1914)—S. palest fresh white F. rich red purple; yellow beard. 2 ft. Each 50c
  - DANIEL LESUEUR (Denis)—S. smoky lavender.
    F. ivory white, flushed lavender with brown markings at throat. 3 ft.

    Each 50c
- 8.3 DEJAZET (Vilm. 1914)—S. bronze rose, with golden sheen. F. reddish violet with brownish shading. Large flower. Late. 20 in. Each 50c
- 8.2 DELICATISSIMA (Millet 1914)—Delicate lilac, pink tinted. Charming. 3 ft. Each 75c



- DEUIL DE VALERY MAYET (Denis)—S. coppery rose. F. deep bronzy red. Unusual coloring. 2 ft. Each 75c
- DIADEM (Bliss 1919)—S. pale mauve. F. deep reddish mauve with brilliant orange beard. Very striking. 3 ft. Each 75c
- 9.1 DOMINION (Bliss 1917)—S. light bluish violet. F. rich indigo purple. Very pronounced orange beard. Wonderful in size, color and substance of flower, but a slow grower. Very scarce. 30 in. Each \$7.00
- 7.1 DORAK (Foster 1909)—S. soft blue violet. F. purple violet. Large flowers. Free bloomer Each \$1.50
- 7.8 DORA LONGDON (Bliss 1918)—S. cream buff, flushed pink at center. F. rich red, lilac suffused and edged yellow. Strong grower. 30 in.

  Each 50c
- 7.4 DR. BERNICE—S. bronze-yellow. F. maroon red. Brown in general effect. 2 ft. Each 25c
- 8.5 DREAM (Sturt. 1918)—A clear even pink pallida type. Very charming and popular. 36 in. Each \$1.00
  - DUSKY MAID (Bliss 1919)—S. pale buff. F. large, wide-spreading; deep mauve purple with pale broad margin. 3 ft. Each 50c
  - ECKESACHS (G. & K.)—S. light lavender violet. F. violet. Each \$1.25
- 8.6 EDOUARD MICHEL (Verdier 1904) Large deep wine red, frilled flowers. Very handsome. 3 ft. Each 50c
  - E. H. JENKINS (Bliss 1919)—S. palest purple. F. a deeper shade. Stout branching stems and very free flowering. 45 in. Each \$1.00
- 7.8 ELDORADO (Vilm.)—S. yellowish bronze shaded with heliotrope. F. violet purple with bronze yellow. 30 in. Each 35c
- 8.0 FAIRY (Kennicott 1905)—White, delicately suffused soft blue. 38 in. Each 25c
  - FIRMAMENT (Groschner 1920)—A very early variety having two shades of bright clear blue. 24 in. Each 50c
  - FLAMMENSCHWERTE (G. & K.)—S. yellow. F. velvety brown with yellow border. Each 75c.
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  8.9 GEORGIA (Farr 1920)—S. and F. a uniform soft
  shade of cattleya-rose. Very large flowers freely
  produced. 18 in. Each \$1.00
  - GERALDINE (Yeld 1911)—S. white, tinted lavender. F. purple on a white ground; bright orange beard. 30 in. Each \$1.00
  - GERMAINE PERTHUIS (Millet)—S. of a pleasing shade of violet-purple, toned lighter. F. deep rich Bishop's violet. Enormous flowers carried on firm 3 ft. stems presenting an unequalled velvety appearance. This is a descendent of the magnificent Souv. de Mme. Gaudichau and has inherited all the good qualities of exceptional growth and vigor, great freedom of bloom.

    Each \$15.00



- GIRAN (Foster 1913)—Uniform crimson-purple, faintly veined. Very showy. Each \$1.50
  - GLAMOUR (Bliss 1922)—S. are broad and finely arched; heliotrope, tinged pale ochre yellow and shot lilac. F. a pure rich velvety red pansy violet. A strong branching grower and particularly free flowering. The flowers have great substance, lasting quality and perfect form.

    3 ft. Each \$15.00
  - GLITTER (Bliss 1919)—S. bright golden yellow.
    F. pale chestnut brown. Very distinct and bright.

    Each 50c
  - GLOWING EMBERS (Sturt. 1923)—S. light brownish lavender. F. rich velvety pansy purple, enclosing a glowing center of orange beards and yellow netted hafts. Heavy rich blooms on tall stems. 42 in. Each \$10.00
- 7.5 GOLD CREST (Dykes 1914)—Bright violet blue with conspicuous orange beard. Each 50c
  - GOLDEN PROMISE (Neeley)—A beautiful new yellow of remarkable promise. Robust, sturdy grower with tall branching stems. Flowers of fine substance, a deep clear golden yellow, S. and F. practically the same shade. Blooms very freely. Flowers are large and well formed with good flaring falls.

    Each \$10.00
  - GOLD IMPERIAL (Sturt. 1924)—Chrome yellow throughout except for orange beard, it has rare finish of texture and form. 33 in. Each \$6.00
  - CRAPTA (Longfield 1925)—S. yellowish or toast brown; falls deeper. A very distinct and effective color. Flowers of good size and fine stems. 2 ft. Each 75c
- 8.5 GREVIN (Vilm. 1920)—Deep purple with standards shaded yellow. Strong stems and large flowers. Very attractive and desirable. Each 35c

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- HALO (Yeld)—Soft and delicate tones of lavender blue and verbena violet with the S. softly tinted. Each \$1.50
- HAMADAN (Foster 1909)—S. light violet. F. dark purplish violet, horizontal; broad black beard. Each \$1.50
- 7.0 HEBE—S. and F. white edged clear bright blue. Flowers somewhat crowded on stem, but one of the most delicate and beautiful of the plicata varieties. 30 in. Each 25c
- 7.3 HER MAJESTY (Perry 1903)—S. rose pink. F. bright crimson, shaded darker. 22 in. Each 25c
- 8.8 HERMIONE (Hort 1920)—S. bright blue purple.
  F. rich reddish purple with orange beard. Very
  fine. 30 in.
  Each \$2.00
  - HIPPOLYTA (Hort 1921)—A very fine pallida form; a pleasing shade of mauve; flowers are very large and of excellent shape. Handsome, vigorous growing foliage. 3 to 4 ft. Each 75c
  - HUBERT (Hort 1921)—Deep crimson-purple with very long brilliant yellow beard. 2½ ft.
    Each \$1.50



- 7.9 IRIS KING (G. & K. 1907)—S. clear lemon yellow.
  F. rich maroon, bordered yellow. 2 ft.
  Each 25c
  - ISLAN (G. & K.)—S. light violet shaded light brown. F. deep velvety violet red. Late
  - brown. F. deep velvety violet red. Late bloomer. Each \$2.00
- 8.6 ISOLINE (Vilm. 1904)—S. silvery rose flushed bronze. F. mauve with gold tint. 3 ft. Each 35c
- 8.3 IVANHOE (Millet 1911)—S. light blue. F. lavender blue. 30 in. Each 50c
  - JACQUELINE GUILLOT (Cayeaux 1924)—An enormous bloom on stout branching stems. Color soft lavender violet with a lustrous surface. Prolific bloomer. Each \$5.00
- 8.0 JACQUESIANA (Lemon 1840)—S. bright coppery crimson. F. rich maroon. Distinct and beautiful. 30 in. Each 25c
  - JAPANESQUE (Farr 1922)—S. lavender-white flecked white. F. deep violet, edged pale lavender; coppery yellow beard. Each 50c
  - JEAN CHEVREAU (Cayeaux 1923)—S. cream tinted buff yellow. F. milky white stippled at the throat and around all the divisions with brown-violet dotting. Wonderfully large flowers of fine texture and of great beaty. Each \$3.00
- 7.8 JEANNE D' ARC (Verd. 1917)—White frilled lilac. Each 25c
- JUNIATA (Farr 1909)—S. and F. beautiful clear deep blue. One of the tallest bearded lrises known. Large fragrant flowers. 36 in. Each 35c
  - KAREN (Sturt. 1924)—Deepest rich red purple with flaring falls. Very vigorous grower and free flowering. 30 in. Each \$2.00
- 8.4 KASHMIR WHITE (Foster 1913)—Most beautiful white hybrid. Tall stems carry six large pure white flowers. Very floriferous. 4 ft.

  Each \$1.00
- KATHERINE FRYER (Fryer 1917)—S. dull pale yellow. F. velvety purple red. Large flowers borne freely on sturdy stalks. 30 in. Each 75c
- 7.6 KNYSNA (Bliss 1917)—S. clear deep yellow. F. a deep velvety red brown. Finest yellow in cultivation. 33 in. Each 35c
- 8.5 LADY FOSTER (Foster 1913)—S. pale blue. F. light bluish violet, veined old gold at the broad throat. Large ruffled flowers. 40 in.

  Each 75c
- 8.0 LADY LILFORD (Foster)—S. deep violet purple.
  F. blackish purple; black beard. Very beautiful; late flowering. 30 in.
  Each \$2.00
  - LANCELOT (Bliss 1919)—Uniform soft rosymauve with bright orange beard. 36 in.
    Each \$1.25



- 8.3 LA NEIGE (Verdier 1912)—Pure glistening white, 27 in. Each 50c
- LAVERRIER (Denis 1917)—S. grayish-lavender.
   F. bright violet-purple heavily veined blood-stone brown, on white throat. 4 ft. Each \$1.25
- LENT A. WILLIAMSON (Williamson 1918)—S. lavender violet. F. velvety pansy purple. One of the best. 42 in. Each 50c
  - LEONATO (Newlands 1922)—S. pale lavender, passing to silvery heliotrope. F. slightly darker colored. A giant of its race, probably larger than any other flower, measuring over six inches from the tip of the S. to the tip of the F. Early flowering and very strong growing; the flowers are exceedingly fragrant, wonderfully shapely and well proportioned. 4 ft. Each \$10.00
- 8.2 LOHENGRIN (G. & K. 1910)—Uniform lilac rose, 30 in. Each 25c
- 9.1 LORD OF JUNE (Yeld 1911)—S. lavender blue. F. rich violet blue. Fine fragrance. 40 in. Each 50c
- LORELEY (G. & K. 1909)—S. light yellow. F. blue bordered cream. 32 in. Each 25c
- 7.9 MADY CARRIERE (Millet)—S. grayish lavender. F. ageratum blue, shading to rich yellow at the base. Each 50c
- 7.8 MAGNATE (Sturtevant 1918)—S. and F. of deep red purple tones. Large heavy bloom on stalks widely branched. Growth robust. 27 in.

  Each 50c
- MAGNIFICA (Vilm. 1920)—S. light violet blue.
   F. dark reddish violet with brown stripes at base. Probably the largest of all Irises. Fragrance sweet. 4 ft.
  - MAJESTIC (Bliss 1924)—Immense broad and arching standards, light lavender to mauve, stained light bronze at the base. The falls are broad and straight, hanging smooth and flat, of a very rich velvety raisin purple in color. Flowers are enormous of perfect form, great substance and lasting quality. An exceedingly good grower, with stout branching spikes 3½ ft. tall
  - Each \$12.50
- 8.1 MA MIE (Cayeaux 1906)—S. white edged violet.
  F. white with lavender border and markings. 3 ft.
  Each 25c
- 6.1 MAORI KING—S. rich golden yellow. F. velvety crimson. 18 in. Each 25c
- 7.1 MARGARET MOOR (Bliss 1918)—Uniform reddish lilac. Very charming. 33 in. Each 35c
- MARSH MARIGOLD (Bliss 1919)—S. pale golden yellow. F. deep purple brown. 30 in. Each \$1.25
- 7.8 MARY GARDEN (Farr 1913)—S. pale yellow flushed pale lavender. F. creamy white minutely veined maroon. 28 in. Each 25c



- 7.8 MARY WILLIAMSON (Williamson 1921)—White with a hyacinth violet center and flaring falls; charmingly ruffled. 30 in. Each \$1.25
- 8.5 MEDRANO (Vilm. 1920)—Rich rose purple, the falls encrusted with dark maroon. 30 in.

  Each \$1.00
- 8.3 MERCEDES (Verd. 1905)—S. purplish lilac shaded brown. F. ivory white, veined and dotted purple, the color deepening toward the edge. A beautiful plicata. Each 75c
- 8.4 MERLIN (Sturt. 1917)—A large pink-violet toned flower. 30 in. Each 50c
  - MICHELLINE CHAIRRAIRE (Denis 1924)—Pure white. Very large flowers on tall firm stems. 4 to 5 ft. Each \$12.50
  - MILDRED PRESBY (Farr 1923)—S. white, faintly flushed pale, rosy lavender. F. rich, dark velvety pansy violet with a very narrow edge of lavender white. A very charming variety appealing to every visitor to the garden. Considered Mr. Farr's masterpiece by many, and unquestionably the finest one of the Amoena type yet introduced.

    Each \$3.00
  - MIRANDA (Hort 1919)—Rich deep violet-purple.

    Distinctive and striking.

    Each 50c
- 7.6 MISS WILLMOTT (Foster 1910)—Fine white at times washed lavender. Each 50c
  - MISTRESS FORD (Newlands 1922)—S. reddishpurple, arching and dome shaped. F. long and of rich red violet. 3½ ft. Each 75c
- MLLE. SCHWARTZ (Denis 1916)—Uniform soft light lavender-blue. Exceptionally large flowers. 4 ft. Each \$1.00
  - MME. CECILE BOUSCANT (Millet 1923)—A uniform clear light orchid pink. An exquisitely lovely flower, very unique and distinct.

    Each \$7.50
- 7.4 MME. CHEREAU (Lemon 1844)—S. white deeply frilled bright lobelia-blue. F. long and drooping, white bordered blue. 32 in. Each 25c
- 8.3 MME. CHERI (Sturt. 1918)—Ageratum violet washed with pink and warmed by a yellow undertone. 42 in. Each \$1.00
- 8.5 MME. CHOBAUT (Denis 1916)—Soft pale yellow shaded and veined wine-red. Clover scented.

  Very unusual coloring. 3 ft. Each 50c
- MME. DURRAND (Denis 1912)—Irridescent buff, flushed with lilac and amber. Six-inch blooms on long branching stems. Very unusual and attractive. 5 ft.
- 8.5 MOLIERE (Vilm. 1920)—S. violet. F. deep velvety violet. Large and deep colored. 30 in.

  Each 50c
  - MONS. BOYER (Denis)—S. golden reddish brown. F. velvety rose purple. 2 ft. Each \$1.00
  - MONS. O. PERTHUIS (Millet 1921)—S. blue flushed mauve. F. velvety deep purplish violet. Large Ricardi hybrid. 4½ ft. Each \$1.00



8.4 MONSIGNOR (Vilm. 1907)—S. pale violet. F. heavily overlaid with dusky violet. 2 ft.

Each 25c

- MONTSERRAT (Sturt. 1923)—A deep lavender and brilliant purple flushed with buff at center; immense flowers are produced on widely branching stalks to a height of 4 ft.

  Each \$5.00
- MORNING SPLENDOR (Shull 1922)—An exceedingly rich, large, deep claret-red of wonderful form and substance. The flowers are well poised on tall and widely branching stalks. 42 in.

  Each \$5.00
- 8.2 MORWELL (Bliss 1917)—Large pallida type of pale blue purple. 3 ft. Each \$1.00
  - MOTHER OF PEARL (Sturt. 1921.)—Pale bluish lavender of exceptional substance and texture.

    4 ft. Each 75c
- 8.2 MOUNT PENN (Farr 1909)—S. lavender-rose, F. crimson lilac; deep orange beard. 30 in.

  Each 50c
- 7.8 MRS. COWLEY (Bliss 1920)—S. coppery buff. F. velvety rosy purple. 30 in. Each 25c
  - MRS. HETTY MATSON (Perry)—S. purple fawn, shot bronze. F. broad, rich crimson-purple. Rich yellow beard. Large globular flowers.

    Each \$2.50
- MRS. W. E. FRYER (Fryer)—S. white shaded heliotrope. F. purple crimson. Each 35c
- 8.2 NANCY ORNE (Sturt. 1921)—A lovely rose purple with buff-tinted styles. 40 in. Each \$1.00
- 8.1 NEPTUNE (Yeld 1916)—A beautiful big violet toned flower. Very large. 3 ft. Each 50c
- NINE WELLS (Foster 1909)—S. light blue. F. deep purple violet. Unusual in height and size. 40 in. Each 35c
- 7.9 OCHRACEA-COERULEA (Syn. SUNSET) (Denis 1919)—Fine form and substance. Old gold flower with falls flushed blue. Very desirable and beautiful. Each \$2.00
- 8.7 OPERA (Vilm. 1916)—S. reddish lilac. F. purple violet, dark and velvety. Early. 28 in.

  Each 50c
- ORIFLAMME (Vilm. 1904)—S. light blue. F. rich violet-purple. Immense size. 30 in. Each 25c
- 8.8 PALLIDA DALMATICA—Clear deep lavender.

  Very large and most prolific.

  massing or cut flowers. 42 in.

  Each 25c
- 8.0 PALLIDA SPECIOSA—Wide petaled lavender selfcolored flowers, borne four or five on a stalk; more effective than Pallida Dalmatica in mass plantings. 3 to 4 ft. Each 25c
- 8.1 PARC DE NEUILLY (Verdier 1910)—Rich plum purple. S. arching and ruffled. F. drooping. 30 in. Each 35c



- 7.9 PARISIANA (Vilm. 1911)—S. white dotted and shaded lilac-purple. F. white frilled at edge with lilac. Large. 30 in. Each 35c
- 7-4 PARSAM (Foster)—Large and bold. Pure white ground with a violet netting. Each 75c
- PAXATAWNY (Farr 1918)—S. pale parma violet suffused yellow. F. darker, reticulated yellow at base. Each 50c
- 7.8 PERFECTION (Barr 1916)—S. light blue. F. dark violet, black orange beard. Very handsome. Each 25c
  - PERRY'S FAVORITE (Perry 1911)—Very early blue bicolor. Each \$1.00
- 8.9 PHYLLIS BLISS (Bliss 1919)—S. and F. rose pink lilac. Very distinctive in form. Strong and erect. Each 75c
  - PIONEER (Bliss 1924)—A magnificent distinctive new variety. Standards are large and incurved, bright red-purple. Falls are very broad of a deep, glowing red-purple, set off by a bright orange beard. Of free-branching habit. Vigorous and strong in growth. 3½ ft. Each \$10.00
- 7.7 POCAHONTAS (Farr 1919)—Pure white bordered pale blue. Very large orchid type.

  Each 35c
- POWHATAN (Farr 1913)—S. light bishop-violet, with deeper border. F. deep purple, shaded crimson. Large, horizontal spreading flower. 38 in. Each 25c
  - PRINCE LOHENGRIN (Mohr 1923)—A light mauve pink that is considerably pinker than Lohengrin. The stalks low and widely branched, but very free flowering. Fine for massing. 40 in. Each \$1.00
- 9.5 PRINCESS BEATRICE (Barr & Sons 1898)—S.
  blue-violet to light lavender-violet. F. pale
  bluish violet to lavender, veined sulphur yellow
  on broad haft. Each 50c
- 7.2 PRINCESS VICTORIA LOUISE (G. & K. 1910)—
   S. sulphur yellow. F. rich plum bordered cream.
   30 in. Each 25c
  - PRISCILLA (Hall 1923)—S. pallid violet; F. rich velvety blackish purple, bordered pallid violet. A dainty flower; its clear, pansy-like coloring very effective for indoor decorations. 30 in.

    Each \$1.00
  - PROF. A. SEELIGER (Koehler. 1923)—A rich deep wine red self color. Very free bloomer of fine height. Gives a decided reddish effect. Each \$1.50
- 8.3 PROSPER LAUGIER (Verdier 1914)—Deepest velvety crimson, richly veined at the throat. Handsome large flowers. 32 in. Each 35c
  - PROSPERO (Yeld 1920)—S. pale lavender flushed with yellow. F. deep ruby purple, shading lighter at the margin. Particularly handsome.

    Each \$1.00



- 7.4 PURPLE KING—Splendid early large deep violetpurple flowers. 2 ft. Each 25c
- 8.4 QUAKER LADY (Farr 1909)—S. cupped, smoky lavender with yellow shadings. F. drooping ageratum blue and old gold. Unusual and attractive. 32 in. Each 35c
- QUEEN CATERINA (Sturt. 1917)—A large irridescent pale lavender violet with yellow beard. Large and vigorous. 3 ft. Each 75c
- 7.4 QUEEN OF MAY (Salter 1859)—Soft rose lilac, a decided pink effect. Very popular. 32 in.

  Each 25c
- 8.1 RAFFET (Vilm. 1920)—Uniform dark blue, being striped at base with white. Beard yellow. Fine late variety. 2 ft. Each 50c
- 7.8 RED CLOUD (Farr 1913)—S. rosy lavenderbronze. F. velvety maroon-crimson; reticulated yellow; stigmas old-gold. 24 in. Each 35c
  - RED RIDING HOOD (Koehler 1922)—S. reddish lavender. F. purplish red with mottlings of brown near base, the back of the petals pinkish lavender. The nearest approach to red. 32 in.

    Each 75c
  - REGAN (Newlands 1920)—Fine and distinct rich violet-blue early bicolor; exceptionally long falls, heavily reticulated brown with canary yellow beard. Flowers have satiny lustre and are remarkable for their splendid poise and form.

    Each 75c
- 8.4 RHEIN NIXE (G. & K. 1910)—S. white. F. violet blue with white edge. Tall and large. Robust grower. 3 ft. Each 35c
  - RHEINTRAUBE (G. & K. 1920)—S. clear lavender blue. F. purple violet. Orange beard. Rapid, vigorous grower. 2 ft. Each 75c
- 7.4 RICHARD II (Dykes 1914)—S. white. F. violet velvety purple. Large flower. Each \$1.00
- 8.3 RODNEY (Bliss 1919)—Large flowers of violetblue. S. domed. F. drooping and satiny. Strong grower. 3 ft. Each 50c
- ROMANY (Bliss 1919)—S. dusky yellow. F. bright reddish brown. Free flowering and early. 2 ft. Each 75c
- 8.0 ROMEO (Millet 1912)—S. citron yellow. F. purple throat streaked maroon and white. 30 in.

  Each 50c
  - ROSALBA (Bliss 1919)—F. and S. rich velvety crimson. Very free blooming, medium height and size. Individual flowers are fine specimens and no other variety makes so rich and velvety an effect when massed.

    Each \$1.00
- 8.2 ROSEWAY (Bliss 1919)—Deep red pink with a very broad orange beard. Very early; strong branching spikes. 42 in. Each 50c
  - RUBY (Dykes 1922)—A deep reddish violet-purple self-color. One of the finest new varieties.

    Each \$2.00



- SEA GULL (Far 1922)—S. white, dome shaped.
  F. white, netted blue. Large and distinct flower.
  2 ft.
  Each 50c
- 8.3 SEMINOLE (Farr 1920)—S. dark violet rose. F. rich velvety crimson. Brilliant orange beard. 2 ft.
- 7.7 SHALIMAR (Wal. 1916)—Rich violet-purple with widely branching spikes. Trojana hybrid. 3½ ft. Each 75c
- 8.7 SHEKINAH (Sturt, 1918)—Beautiful soft yellow. Pallida type. 3 ft. Each 50c
- 7.1 SHELFORD CHIEFTAIN. (Fos. Wal. 1909)—Immense big-flowered lavender bicolor. 4 ft.

  Each 50c
- 7.6 SHERWIN-WRIGHT (Kohankie 1915) Golden yellow. Vigorous growing. 2 ft. Each 35c
- 7.5 SHREWSBURY (Farr 1916)—S. rosy bronze. F. violet purple. Conspicuous heavy orange beard. Each 35c
  - SHYLOCK (Hort 1922)—pale violet with a glorious lustrous sheen, almost irridescent. Very large flowers and late bloomer. Tall and majestic.

    Each \$5.00
  - SIMONNE VAISSIERE (Millet)—S. lavender-blue. F. violet blue with red, brown and white reticulations at haft. F. horizontal. Late flowering.

    Each \$2.50
- 8.4 SINDJKHA (Sturt. 1918)—S. deep blue lavender shading to dark olive buff. F. light mauve deepening to rich violet. Beautiful, proving a favorite with all visitors. Strong grower. 4 ft.

  Each 75c
- 9.3 SOUV. DE MME. GAUDICHAU (Millet 1914)—A brilliant velvety black purple; very beautiful; outstanding; strong grower. 40 in. Each \$1.00
  - SOUV. DE LOETITIA MICHAUD (Millet 1923)—
    S. lobelia blue shading toward the edge to pale blue. F. the same color beautifully veined yellow on the white ground of the haft. Enormous flowers of fine texture. Strong stems 4 ft. high. Considered by many authoritative growers as the finest lris ever produced.

    Each \$9.00
- 8.1 STAMBOUL (Fos. 1916)—S. light blue. F. rich violet-blue, vigorous, free-flowering habit. 36 in. Each 50c
  - SUSAN BLISS (Bliss 1922)—A uniform shade of deep rose pink, with a light orange beard, which adds a delightfully pleasing color tone. The flower is exquisitely shaped and of splendid substance, opening 3 or 4 at a time, and borne on tall majestic spikes. Free flowering and of robust constitution. 3½ ft.

    Each \$3.00
  - SUSANNE AUSTISSIER (Denis 1923)—S. aniline blue. F. velvety purplish violet. Large flower with horizontal falls. 3 ft. Each \$1.50



- 7.9 SWATARA (Farr 1918)—S. lobelia-blue suffused bronzy yellow. F. bright violet with conspicuous orange bread. 3 ft. Each 50c
  - SWAZI (Bliss 1922)—S. bluish violet; F. velvety blackish violet. Growth vigorous and coloring dark and rich. Magnificent flowers on 3½ ft. stems. Each \$20.00
- 8.5 SWEET LAVENDER (Bliss 1922)—S. pale lavender. F. horizontal rose lavender. Stately and distinctive. 42 in. Each \$1.00
- 7.3 SYPHAX (Bliss 1917)—S. pale violet. F. deep velvety crimson violet. 30 in. Each 50c
- 8.3 TAJ MAHAL (Sturt. 1920)—A very fine pure white. Flowers are large and of firm substance, over 3 ft. high, the stalk is well branched and flowers well proportioned.

  Each \$5.00
- 7.4 TAMERLAN (Vilm. 1904)—S. violet-blue. F. deeper. Each 35c
- 8.5 TARTARIN (Bliss 1919)—An extraordinary variety producing enormous flowers of two distinct shades of pale lilac-lavender blue. 3 ft. Each 75c
  - TENEBRAE (Bliss 1922)—S. rich violet purple tinged with dark maroon-purple in the center. The smooth circular falls are a rich velvety black purple, of great size and substance and wonderfully rich deep coloring. Flowers large and finely formed. 3 ft.

    Each \$10.00
  - TITAN (Bliss)—Enormous flowers with spreading falls of very great substance. Arching standards, very broad of light violet blue. Large, smooth falls of violet purple. Very free flowering and strong grower with massive stems. Each \$7.50
- 8.0 TOM TIT (Bliss 1919)—Very unique; deep violetblue. Small and distinctive. 24 in. Each 50c
  - TRIANON (Vilm. 1921)—S. yellow buff suffused rose. F. shaded to lavender. Delicate and lovely. 30 in. Each 50c
- 8.2 TRISTRAM (Bliss 1919)—S. clearest white. F. deep rich purple. 27 in. Each 50c
- 8.4 TROOST (Denis 1908)—S. deep rosy purple. F. veined violet changing to brown. Unique and beautiful. 2 ft. Each 35c
  - TRUE CHARM (Sturt.)—Blooms white with margins delicately etched with blue-lavender. Very large delightful flowers of individual charm.
    40 in. Each \$1.50
  - TURCO (Vilm. 1921)—S. rosy lilac. F. bronzy yellow with bluish violet tint. Each 35c
- 8.8 VALKYRIE (Sturt. 1919)—Shaded olive lake and velvety dark maroon purple. It is sturdy and substantial, conveying the impression of strength and endurance. 33 in. Each \$6.00
- 8.0 VIOLACEA GRANDIFLORA (Int. 1860)—A large violet blue self of smooth glossy texture. Vigorous. 3 ft. Each 25c



- 8.1 VIRGINIA MOORE (Shull 1921)—Fine late clear yellow. 33 in.. Each 75c
- 8.1 WILD ROSE (Sturt. 1921)—An adorable pink having a smooth satiny texture. Each \$3.50
- 8.3 WHITE KNIGHT (Saunders 1916)—A beautiful absolutely white, late blooming Iris. Sweet scented. 18 in. Each 50c
  - WHITE QUEEN (Queen Mary) (Geylenkek)—
    Snow white with throat and beard greenish
    white, Prolific bloomer; very long blooming season.

    Each \$1.50
- 7.2 WYOMISSING (Farr 1909)—S. creamy white suffused soft rose. F. deep rose. Free Bloomer. 30 in. Each 25c
- 7.5 YVONNE PELLETIER (Millet 1916)—Uniform sky blue. Very early; tall and strong. Each 75c
  - ZOUAVE (Vilm. 1922)—S. delicate lilac. F. violet. 2 ft. Each 50c
- 7.5 ZUA (Crawford 1914)—Delicate lavender white, ruffled like fine crepe. Large and fragrant. Each 35c

#### PUMILAS AND DWARF BEARDED IRISES

The Pumilas form low-growing tufts, very fine for edging and rock gardens. The beautiful little Dwarf lrises are very useful for edging or planting in front of the taller kinds and both bloom very early, through April and May usually. All are delightfully fragrant.

- ALBATRE—S. creamy white. F. creamy white with purple markings down the center, and bronze markings at the haft. 5 in. Each 75c
- ARMEE D'ORIENT—S. lemon yellow. F. yellow washed violet. 3 in. Each 75c
- BUTTERFLY—pale yellow spotted brown. 8 in. Each 25c
- CANARY BIRD—S. and F. straw yellow—orange beard. 4 in. Each 35c
- COUNTESS D'HAUTEVILLE—Smoky heliotrope tinted red. 3 in. Each \$1.00
- CYANEA—Rich satiny blue. Large and handsome. 4 in. Each 25c
- DIXMUDE—Uniform deep blue—large flowers. 10 in. Each 25c
- EBURNEA—S. pale creamy white. F. pale yellow. 3 in. Each 35c
- FLORIDA—Very large, pale creamy yellow. 10 in. Each 25c
- GRAMINEA—Reddish violet. Very profuse bloomer. 6 in. Each 75c
- JAUNE—A charming clear yellow. 4 in. Each 25c



LE PACTOLE—A delightful lemon yellow, as large as Shekinah. Very free bloomer and very dwarf. Fills a long felt need.

LIBRA-Blue purple. Very showy. 10 in. Each 25c

LUTEA—Deep creamy yellow. Very dwarf. 3 in. Each 50c

MAROCAIN—S. amethyst-violet. F. rich pansy violet. Richly colored bloom of fine size. 8 in. Each \$1.00

METEOR—Rich purple with a lemon beard. 5 in. Each 50c

NUDICAULIS—S. violet. F. purple-black. Large flowers very showy and free flowering. 6 in. Each 25c

PUMILA BLANC—S. white, F. lemon tinted. Large bloom. Each 25c

PUMILA BLANC PUR LA FIANCEE—Pure white with striking yellow beard.

Each 25c

PUMILA BLEU AZURE—Beautiful sky blue. Fine. Each 50c

PUMILA HYBRIDA SCHNEECUPPE (Snowcup)—Fine large flowering white. F. slightly reticulated yellow at base. Each 25c

RUPERT-S. violet purple. F. almost black. Large flower. Very dwarf. Each 50c

STANDARD—S. violet. F. deep plum purple white beard; large and handsome. 9 in. Each 25c

STATELLAE (Syn. OLBIENSIS ALBA)—Creamy white, fragrant, globular flowers borne in pairs on 2 inch stems. Each 25c

VIOLET ROUGEATRE FUME—Deep violet with smoky tint. Very dwarf. Each 50c

#### INTERMEDIATE IRISES

Handsome hybrids of medium height bearing very large flowers, blooming in May and filling the gap between the early flowering Dwarfs and the later Tall Bearded kinds. All are hardy, vigorous growers, freely producing wonderfully hued blooms.

ALBICANS—S. and F. pure white. Very charming. 2½ ft. Each 25c

BLUE BOY—S. violet. F. velvety purplish violet. Distinctive blue beard. Large flower. 2 ft. Each 25c

BOSNIMAC—S. broad cream. F. pale lavender cream, orange beard. 18 in. Each 35c

DOLPHIN—S. soft sky blue. F. violet with golden crest.

About 2 ft.

Each 35c

DOROTHEA—Large, crinkled flowers of pale blue lavender. 18 in. Each 25c

FLORENTINA—Very early large nearly pure white flowers; delightfully sweet scented. 2½ ft. Each 25c

GERDA—S. creamy yellow. F. darker veined yellow. Very large flowers. Each 35c



INGEBORG—Immense pure white, very fine. 1½ ft. Each 25c

KHARPUT—S. violet. F. deep purple violet, very long; beard white. Very large flower. 2½ ft. Each 25c

KING HUMBERT-A good dark blue. 15 in. Each 25c

- QUEEN FLAVIA—Primrose yellow; very large flowers.
  One of the best. 2 ft.

  Each 25c
- ROSE UNIQUE—(Farr)—S. and F. bright violet rose, the only variety of this color in the early blooming section. Very unusual and impressive. 26 in.

  Each 25c
- SARAH—Delicate pearly white flowers borne in great profusion. 1½ ft. Each 25c
- WALHALLA—S. lavender blue. F. urne-red. Immense flower, 2½ ft. Each 25c
- YELLOW HAMMER—Clear amber yellow self color with golden orange beard. Very large flowers of fine lasting substance.

  Each \$2.00
- 8.5 ZWANENBURG (Denis 1909)—S. deep cream yellow, heavily striped maroon. F. greenish yellow with conspicuous purple stripes. Very vigorous and free bloomer. Fascinating.

# MISCELLANEOUS SPECIES AND VARIETIES

- AMAS—S. bright blue. F. deep violet-purple. Flowers very large, of fine texture and great substance.

  Each 25c
- AUREA—Golden yellow; prefers a loamy soil, not too dry. Each 25c
- COREAN SPECIES-Rich violet purple. Each 35c
- DOROTHEA K. WILLIAMSON—Large flowers of velvety dark madder violet. Wonderful color. 2½ ft.

  Each 50c
- FULVA—Reddish copper. Very quaint and distinct. Each 50c
- KOCHII—S. and F. rich claret purple. Compact. Handsome. Early. 2 ft. (May Flowering Germanica.) Each 25c
- MONAUREA—Large deep primrose yellow, highly recommended for moist locations and waterways. 6 ft. Each 50c
- MONSPUR—Blue and yellow. Fine for waterside and moist situations. 4 ft. Each \$1.00
- OCHROLEUCA (ORIENTALIS GIGANTEA) Large ivory white with an orange yellow blotch at base of falls. Very late. 5 ft. Each 25c
- ORIENTALS (Syn. SANGUINEA) Intensely brilliant blue with conspicuous crimson spathe valves.

  Each 25c



- ORIENTALIS BLUE—Handsome clear blue flowers. A wonderful companion when planted with Snow Queen.

  Each 25c
- ORIENTALIS EMPEROR—Falls are large and circular; deep violet blue. Each 75c
- ORIENTALIS RED EMPEROR—An entirely unique color in this species of a striking shade of wine red. Very large flowers with graceful wide petals; frequently mistaken for a Japanese lris.

  Each \$3.00
- ORIENTALIS SNOW QUEEN—Large ivory white flowers. Each 25c
- ORIENTALIS SUNNYBROOK—This is a cross between the two Sibirica Orientalis Irises, Blue King and Snow Queen, with the taller growth, larger flowers and spreading falls of the latter, but the flowers are of the exquisite shade of greyish-blue known as Alice blue, a most rare color in the garden. The plant is very vigorous and increases rapidly and carries many flower stalks.

  Each 50c
- ORIENTALIS SUPERBA—Large violet blue; handsome foliage. Each 25c
- PSEUDOACORUS—Deep yellow; good for waterside planting. 3 ft. Each 25c
- SHELFORD GIANT—S. creamy yellow. F. creamy with orange blotch. Very striking and vigorous. 6 ft.

  Each \$3.00
- SIBERICA DISTINCTION—S. violet, F. white veined and tipped blue. 3½ ft. Each 25c
- SIBERICA GEORGE WALLACE—Azure blue. F. marked white. Tall and graceful. 3 ft. Each 35c
- SIBERICA LADY GODIVA—White with a soft suffusion of pinkish lavender, almost indescribable. Very lovely as a cut flower. Quite scarce and owing to its unusually early blooming season, it has great value.

  Each 50c
- SIBERICA PERRY'S BLUE—Wonderful sky blue, showing white on falls. 4 ft. Each 50c
- TECTORUM—Rich blue flat flowers, crests ivory white.

  A Japanese Species. 1 ft. Each 25c
- TOREADOR—S. brilliant orange, shot with bronze. F. rich, glowing red. The strong Spanish coloring of this lris and its very large sturdy flowers, combined with the vigorous growth of the plant make it a most valuable border lris.

  Each \$1.50
- TROJANA—S. light lavender violet. F. deep violet. Branching spikes. 3 ft. Each 50c
- VERSICOLOR (Common American Water Flag)—Showy violet blue. Good for water and marsh planting. Each 25c
- VERSICOLOR KERMESIANA—Rich claret red with white markings. Each 75c
- VERSICOLOR ROSEA—A strikingly red form of Versicolor. Good for water and marsh planting. Each\$1.50



#### SPECIAL IRIS COLLECTIONS

A long and varied list of Iris described in a catalog frequently proves bewildering to the beginner or to one who hasn't the time or inclination to study them. For this reason we offer the following special aassortments for your convenience at the particularly attractive prices named.

A wide range of color and type has been carefully selected for combinations and as every variety is high rated, each will prove a welcome addition to your garden.

We cannot change or substitute other varieties at the

price asked.

Large sturdy rhizomes of the very best quality will be

furnished.

SPECIAL OFFER No. 1—The Standard Collection

12 Fine Irises for \$2.00	-
If bought separately, they would amount to	\$3.30.
Pr	rice Each
8.9 Alcazar-bluish violet	25c
7.5 Caprice—a real red lris	25c
8.0 Colonel Candelot-crimson and copper	
6.8 Darius—yellow and lilac	25c
Kharput-deep purple violet-beautiful	25c
8.2 Lohengrin—lilac rose	
8.1 Ma Mie-white edged violet	
7.8 Mary Garden—pale yellow flushed lavende	т 25с
8.4 Monsignor-dusky violet	25c
8.1 Parc de Neuilly-rich plum purple	35c
8.4 Rhein Nixe-white with violet edge	35c
8.5 Zwanenburg—yellow striped maroon	
SPECIAL OFFER No. 2—The Ideal Collect 12 Fine Irises for \$3.00	etion
If bought separately, they would amount to	\$4.75

8.6	Afterglow-misty lavender and yellow	50c
8.3	Archeveque-rich violet purple	25c
7.9	Camelot-white edged violet	50c
8.6	Isoline—silvery rose, tinted bronze	35c
7.1	Mrs. W. E. Fryer-white shaded heliotrope	35c
8.0	Nine Wells-light blue	35c
8.1	Neptune-very large violet toned	50c
9.5	Princess Beatrice-silvery lavender	50c
8.3	Prosper Laugier-deep velvety crimson	35c
8.7	Shekinah-soft yellow	50c
8.4	Troost-rosy lilac	

#### SPECIAL OFFER No. 3—The Garden Collection 12 Fine Irises for \$4.00 If bought separately, they would amount to \$6.15

Wyomissing-white suffused rose ...... 25c

		Price	Each
	Cecile Minturn-cattleya rose		. 50c
8.6	Cluny-delightful lilac purple		
8.5	Grevin-deep purple shaded yellow		. 35c
7.9	lris King-clear yellow-maroon falls .		. 25c
8.1	Juniata-beautiful clear blue		. 35c
9.1	Lord of June-lavender and blue		. 50c
8.5	Moliere-deep violet		50c
	Mother of Pearl-pale lavender		. 75c
	Prospero-lavender, yellow and deep i	1	
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If bought separately, they would amount to \$6	.00
	Each
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Pric	e Each
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L'Etincelante-brilliant carmine edged silver	
Sarah Bernhardt—apple blossom pink	
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